FISCAL NOTE

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: April 12, 1995

SUBJECT: **SB 1683**

This bill, if enacted, will amend statutes dealing with the removal, storage and sale of abandoned vehicles. This bill will require owners of garages, lots and trailer parks to report vehicles abandoned for more than 30 days to the Department of Safety. The bill establishes procedures for notification of police and owners of abandoned or immobile vehicles, as well as, procedures for sale and distribution of proceeds from sales. The bill establishes procedures by which property owners may remove abandoned vehicles and a towing firm may recover the costs of towing and storage.

The fiscal impact on state expenditures and revenues from enactment of this bill is estimated to be minimal.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to increase local government revenues and expenditures. The amount of increase cannot be reasonably determined since the number of automobiles that will be towed and sold is not known, but is estimated not to be significant.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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James A. Davenport, Executive Director